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## City Council Article

Kelvyn H. Cullimore, Jr. - MAYOR

### THANK YOU, KEVIN SMITH

we could not tell him who he would be working with other than the Council, Mayor, and Manager.

Shortly after the election of Cottonwood Height's first governing body, in November of 2004, we set about selecting the City's first staff. We started with our City Manager, Liane Stillman; then, in December, we began interviewing for key administrative positions. It was a unique experience as we had no City offices, no budget, no HR department and, really, no assurance of what we could offer to new employees.

City Manager Stillman narrowed the list to three finalists for the position of Community Development Director, and they all came to my business office for an interview. I remember well young Kevin Smith. He was enthusiastic and anxious to be involved in the establishment of a new City. When we extended the job offer to him we couldn't tell him what his salary would be, what benefits might be approved, what his office would look like, or what opportunities the future held. And,

Kevin showed a true pioneering spirit by accepting such an ambiguous offer. He was excited about the ill-defined challenge. He epitomizes, then and now, the spirit and drive that successfully launched Cottonwood Heights. His talent is now being recognized by others; and he has been lured away to manage an Airport Special Service District near Lake Tahoe. Kevin will be sorely missed. His contributions to our success as a City are innumerable. His vision of how to take a fledgling City from zero to where we are now has been invaluable.

He rapidly became the "go-to" person for the Council on any matters of engineering, public works or capital projects. His affable manner allowed him to interface well with even the angriest constituent. He is a problem solver to whom any task could be delegated with confidence; and, above all, he is esteemed and respected by his peers, the Council, and City residents.



During the past five and one-half years, Kevin has risen rapidly to become the Deputy City Manager and has taken responsibility for many tasks, including Public Works. During that time, he also attended peace officer training and became a reserve officer in our police department. He has been dedicated and totally committed to Cottonwood Heights.

#### A few of his accomplishments are:

- Helping set up the first City zoning ordinances, as well as the City General Plan

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## Sheila Jennings Receives Honor for Citizen Work

Another individual award has come to an employee of Cottonwood Heights; and, according to Chief Russo, "She is very deserving and the City is the beneficiary." Sheila Jennings of CHPD has been recognized as the Outstanding Civilian Employee of the year for 2010 by the Utah Chiefs of Police Association. Sheila received the award while attending the "Chiefs" annual meetings in St. George. Her trip to St. George and time spent there was a gift from the association.

Sheila's accomplishments primarily focus on her work with residents of the community in their Neighborhood Watch (NW) program. She has been the moving force behind the success of having the CHPD officers partner with local citizens in combating crime



LEFT to RIGHT: Chief Russo; Sheila Jennings; Frank Budd, UCOPA; Chief Terry Keefe Layton

throughout the neighborhoods of the City.

Sheila has 20 years experience in law enforcement and has put that acquired knowledge to use in helping organize and train the neighbors currently involved with the NW program. She continually stresses to the participants that this is their program and will be extremely effective if they will continue to provide the momentum to see it grow and expand to other areas of the community.

Sgt. Chris Gebhardt, who supervises Sheila, explained that NW is a way to get many more eyes, ears, and mouths out there, watching, listening, and warning of suspicious individuals and situations. Chief Russo credits the NW program as a big reason why 90% of violent crimes in the City

were solved last year. "We can't put enough guys on the street to duplicate that same effort," he said.

Sheila credits her civilian working partners: Renita, Deb., Stacie, and Gina for their behind-the-scenes work and stated, "This award could have gone to any one of them."

Sheila's responsibilities at CHPD include: accidents, evidence, subpoenas, records, and community outreach/COP, under which the NW program falls.

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To hear the agenda for the next city council meeting call: 944-7003

For the planning commission agenda call 944-7004

For details about the agendas, check our web site:  
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## Cottonwood Heights Senior Activities

Thanks to The Coventry Independent and Assisted Living Community, located at 6898 South 2300 East, regular senior activities are being offered to those residents of Cottonwood Heights who are 55 and older. The classes offer everything from community service to physical activity, with socialization a key factor. All classes are free. Seniors are invited to come and enjoy meeting others while participating in activities, and should feel free to stop by The Coventry for a free lunch!

May classes:

Bingo Tuesdays at 1:00 pm

***Come try your lucky hand at Bingo ... and win prizes!***

Exercise Class with Bonnie: Tuesdays and Thursdays at 1:00 pm

The “Live Well Be Well” exercise program is geared for all levels of senior fitness.

Blood Pressure and Blood Sugar Clinic: First and Third Tuesday at 11:00 a.m.

The blood pressure clinic is located in The Coventry’s wellness center.

Ask a Nurse: Every Second Monday of each month from 2:30-3:30 p.m.

Ask a Nurse is a monthly program located in the wellness center.

The nurses will listen carefully to your healthcare or medical questions and offer advice to help prevent health issues before they start. They will also assist with decisions about whether to go to the emergency room, call the doctor, or seek home care.

**For May, in addition to the regular classes listed above, there will be art classes and Tai Chi. A dance class will also be offered. Questions? Call today, 801-943-5858**



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- Being instrumental in establishing the City’s capital improvement program and in inventorying the condition of all infrastructure in the City
- Saving the City hundreds of thousands of dollars and vastly improving service by forming our own animal control and ordinance enforcement division instead of contracting the services from the County
- Creating the City’s current process for citizens to engage in traffic-calming measures in their neighborhoods
- Initiating the 50/50 program for funding sidewalk and curb improvements on City streets
- Supervising all engineering projects in the City and prudently assisting the City in acquiring critical equipment to help in performing support services, such as storm drain management
- Accepting additional tasks, such as Risk Management duties, liaison with our federal lobbyists, and the transition of our enterprise software systems in the City
- Representing the City on numerous county-wide committees and boards

These and many other accomplishments were recognized when Kevin was presented the “Best of State” Award in 2006.

Our expression of gratitude to Kevin for his attentive service to us would be incomplete without acknowledging the unwavering support of his good wife, Amanda. Evening meetings were not unusual on top of full days. Tuesday nights required Kevin to endure the marathon Council meetings, often running well past midnight – especially in the early years. He would also attend Planning Commission meetings, as well as other citizen-related meetings in the evenings and attend all City events. Yet, we never heard a complaint from Amanda or the kids.

There has been a camaraderie and closeness that could only occur from laboring side by side to launch the City. That closeness caused us to mourn with Kevin and Amanda when they lost a child in the last trimester of pregnancy and to celebrate with them when Amanda gave birth to other children. They are exemplary in their dedication to each other, their faith, their ideals, and the City.

Kevin has worked diligently to make Cottonwood Heights a success. Thank you, Kevin and Amanda, for your complete dedication and loyalty to the organization of our City. You have established a lasting legacy of which you should always be proud. But, for the record, Kevin was already bald when he came to work here – we did not cause that.

### HISTORICAL QUESTION

**Historical Question for May: Who was the architect for the Old Mill?** *(find answer on later page)*



HELP



NEEDED

## Butlerville Days Plans Evolving

### ENTERTAINER ALERT!

The Cottonwood Heights Arts Council is seeking entertainers to perform at Butlerville Days on July 24<sup>th</sup>. Performance times are available from 4:30 pm to 8:00 pm. Butlerville Days is a family-oriented event and all performances will occur on the main stage. Singers! Instrumentalists! Dancers! All are welcome, either as individuals or groups. All ages will be considered and are invited to audition in late June at a time and place TBA. Those interested should e-mail a brief description of their talent and performance history to Brian Allen, [brian@evvivaent.com](mailto:brian@evvivaent.com). Performers are non-paid volunteers. Scheduling of performers will be at the discretion of the Butlerville Days committee.

### SPONSORS SOUGHT

The Cottonwood Heights Butlerville Days committee needs sponsors to assist in making our Butlerville Days celebration on July 24<sup>th</sup> the best yet. Varying levels of sponsorships are available. The committee is announcing that, this year, The Mix 107.9 will be the media partner and will be broadcasting from the event. Sponsors will receive media exposure on their website and during their airtime. Sponsors will also be prominently featured at the event. Attendance is anticipated to exceed 12,000. This is a great opportunity for local businesses to have their name featured before a captive audience in a fun, energetic, community setting. Please contact Brian Allen at 801-661-2922 or via email at [brian@evvivaent.com](mailto:brian@evvivaent.com) for further details.



## Chief's CORNER

### DOOR-TO-DOOR SALES



Chief Robby Russo

Again this spring, we are seeing an increase in calls from residents concerned about door-to-door solicitors and suspicious solicitation efforts. Door-to-door sales calls are legal in Cottonwood Heights but only with the proper permits. Legitimate local businesses, operating with a fixed place of business; religious groups; political activists; and charitable organizations are exempt from the permit requirement, but traditional door-to-door vendors must apply and possess a license issued by the City. At the time this article is being written (April 26), there have been no permits issued for door-to-door sales in the City this year.

Every year, we have a circuit of out-of-state magazine and cleaning product pushers hit the neighborhoods. They are trying to appeal to people's charitable nature. Coincidentally or not, along with the increase in door-to-door solicitations, there is often a rise in the number of home burglaries. There could be a connection between the thefts and door-to-door solicitations, given that many solicitors are on foot and become aware of occupied and unoccupied homes. Officers have arrested suspects who, after not getting a response at the front door, enter only to be surprised

by the homeowner who just didn't want to answer the door. If you have concerns about someone in your neighborhood, please call the police and allow us to check and ensure they can produce the proper permit.

**Door-to-door sales calls are legal in Cottonwood Heights but only with the proper permits.**

A second concern is how one pays for something purchased from door-to-door solicitors. Never write a check or use a credit card to purchase from a soliciting stranger. Checks and cards contain valuable account information, including routing numbers on checks, and can be used to commit fraud like purchasing items on the Internet. If you can't pay with cash, don't buy. With U.S. Census workers gearing up to start public outreach in the next two months, please remember: they **WILL NOT** request personal identifiers such as SSN, birth dates, and bank account information. Census representatives must also wear identification. If anything seems suspicious, call CHPD.

### THINGS YOU SHOULD KNOW ABOUT MOSQUITOES

The approaching summer brings thoughts of fun outdoor activities with family and friends. The South Salt Lake Valley Mosquito Abatement District reminds everyone that along with these outdoor activities comes the possibility of being bitten by mosquitoes; and, some mosquitoes transmit West Nile Virus, St. Louis and Western Equine Encephalitis, or Dog Heartworm.

Symptoms of West Nile Virus include: fever, headache, body aches, rash (sometimes), swollen lymph glands, neck stiffness, disorientation, coma, tremors, convulsions, paralysis, and, rarely, death.

#### One can help protect themselves and others by:

Eliminating standing water in the area (i.e., dispose of old cans, tires, buckets); empty children's toys such as buckets, wagons, and wading pools; clean out bird baths, wheelbarrows, clogged roof drains and gutters; avoid over-watering lawns and gardens; and dump horse troughs weekly.

Stay indoors whenever possible between dusk and dawn.

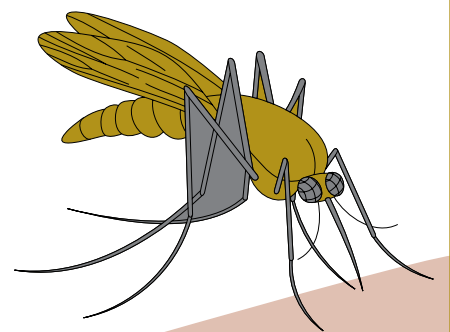
When outdoors, wear light colored, loose-fitting clothing that covers as much skin as possible.

Apply repellents containing "Deet" or "Picaridin" (check label for proper applications).

Repair holes in window and door screens.

West Nile Virus is transmitted by infected mosquitoes. A mosquito becomes infected by feeding on a wild bird that has the virus in its blood. The virus develops inside the mosquito's body. The mosquito then transmits the virus in its saliva when it bites a second person or animal.

*Additional information is available at [www.soslvmosquito.org](http://www.soslvmosquito.org), [www.uma.org](http://www.uma.org), or [www.slvhealth.org](http://www.slvhealth.org).*



## Community Culture

### Second Annual Art Expo

The arts council is hard at work on a couple of projects. They are sponsoring a 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Art Expo at Butlerville Days, featuring the fine art of local artists.

Last year's Art Expo added an artistic touch to the 24<sup>th</sup> of July celebration. This year, they will provide the same opportunity to step into the shade and enjoy local art. Anyone having artwork they want to display, visit the City's website to download the application: [www.cottonwoodheights.utah.gov](http://www.cottonwoodheights.utah.gov), and click on Butlerville Days.

entertainment! Art activities for kids!

Class art projects will be on display and local artists will be at work. Attendees can also view the beautiful art housed at Oakdale that was part of the Union School collection. This is a fundraiser with all proceeds going to art programs at Oakdale. Local artist, Ralph Brinton, will be painting on-site and donating his work to the school.

### Hey Dreamers!

Theater lovers in our City have long had a dream—to see quality Community Theater in Cottonwood Heights. That dream is finally coming true!



### —Audition Announcement—

Auditions for Cottonwood Heights' production of "Joseph and the Amazing Technicolor Dreamcoat," directed by Kate Rufener

**When:** Monday June 14, and Tuesday, June 15. 7-10 pm.

**Where:** Cottonwood Heights Elementary, 2495 E. Bengal Blvd.



**What:** Come prepared with 16 bars of an upbeat song from a Broadway musical. Resume and headshot preferred. Dress comfortably to learn a basic dance combination. *Also, bring your summer schedule.*

### ALL AGES WELCOME!

Community Theater makes a great family summer project; so bring your kids to the audition! Kids, bring your parents!

*Those who want to receive the arts council quarterly e-newsletter, please contact Amy Wadsworth at [amy.charts@gmail.com](mailto:amy.charts@gmail.com).*

### Oakdale Elementary School Arts Night:

Thursday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 6-8 p.m., Oakdale School, 1900 E. Creek Road: \$5 spaghetti dinner! Silent auction! Live



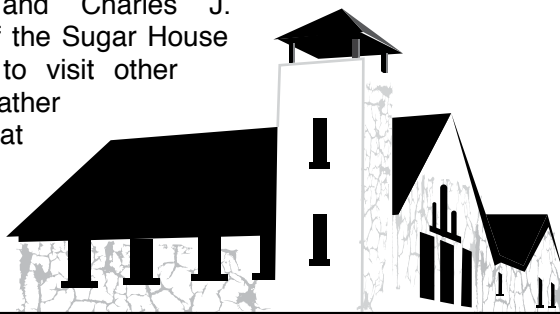


## HISTORICAL ANSWERS

### Answer to May's Historical Committee question:

Henry Grow, who was born in Philadelphia on October 1, 1817, and was the architect for the Old Mill. In his early adult years, he was apprenticed as a carpenter and joiner for the

Norristown and Germantown railroads. From 1854 to 1861, he built or rebuilt at least five sawmills, mostly in Big Cottonwood Canyon. In 1860, Brigham Young contracted with Henry Grow to build a wooden bridge over Utah's Jordan River. That bridge employed the patented Remington Bridge lattice truss system, similar to other bridges he helped construct in Pennsylvania. He helped design the domed roof of the Salt Lake Tabernacle, which is an adaptation of the bridge truss work. Henry Grow, Thomas E. Taylor, manager of the Deseret News Company, and Charles J. Lambert, foreman of the Sugar House Mill, traveled east to visit other paper mills and gather ideas to create what they hoped would be a modern and efficient paper mill.



## FREE DUMP PASSES

Experience tells us that spring will arrive and yard clean-up should be high on our "TO DO" lists. This year, get a FREE DUMP PASS to use in June and make the trip to the landfill less painful. Passes are for green and bulk waste and will be available at City Hall on June 1st.



## CITY COUNCIL MEETING SCHEDULE

All City Council business meetings are held in the council chambers, 1265 East Fort Union Blvd., Ste. 300. The work meetings are held in the conference room at the same address but in Ste. 250. The May meeting schedule is as follows:

- **Tuesday, May 4th**  
6 p.m. Work Meeting
- **Tuesday, May 11th**  
6 p.m. Work Meeting (*reconvenes following business meeting*)  
7 p.m. Business Meeting
- **Tuesday, May 18th**  
6 p.m. Work Meeting
- **Tuesday, May 25th**  
6 p.m. Work Meeting (*reconvenes following business meeting*)  
7 p.m. Business Meeting
- **Tuesday, June 1st**  
6 p.m. Work Meeting

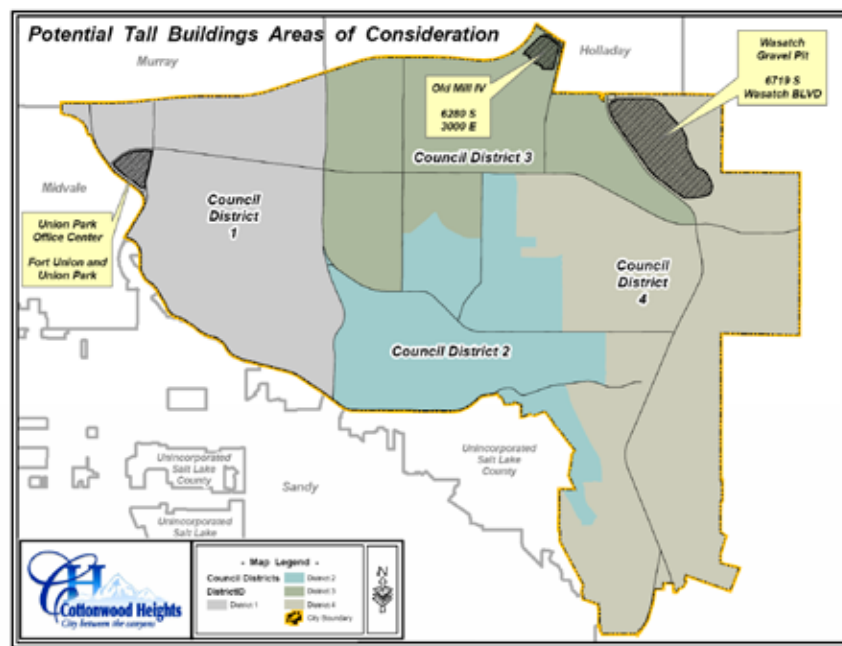
## Public Meetings set for Tall Building Discussion

The City has set Wednesday, May 5, 2010, as the day for a public hearing before the Planning Commission to discuss the potential of a General Plan Amendment for taller buildings in the key business/office parks in Cottonwood Heights. An informational mailer was sent to all property owners on March 24<sup>th</sup>, 2010, informing them of the proposed amendment to the City's General Plan. The amendment provides the framework for a change to the maximum height of buildings from six stories to 12 stories or more, in certain areas of the City and under specified conditions.

This proposal explores the possibility of allowing taller buildings in three areas of the City, and was precipitated by an application from the owner of the Old Mill Corporate Center. That proposal is to build a 12-story building between the I-215 off ramp and the new parking terrace.

A change to the General Plan is a precursor to potentially changing the City's zoning ordinances to allow taller buildings in these areas. Any developer desiring to build taller buildings in properly zoned locations would still be required to seek appropriate zoning, even if the General Plan is amended.

*The public hearing will be held before the City Planning Commission at 6:00 p.m., at the Cottonwood Heights Elementary School (best accessed at about 2495 East Bengal Blvd.).*



The three areas being considered as possible locations for taller buildings are identified in the map above.





## ENJOYING LIFE AND NATURE ON THE BIG COTTONWOOD CANYON TRAIL



One of the most noteworthy accomplishments in Cottonwood Heights, since it became a City, is the Big Cottonwood Canyon Trail. The photos on this page were taken during April while walking on the trail which begins beneath the north bound freeway off-ramp at 6200 south and temporarily ends at approximately 3500 East on Big Cottonwood Road. The trail is just over half finished. Within another couple of years it will be completed to the Park and Ride at Fort Union and Wasatch Blvd. It will pass beneath Wasatch Blvd and eventually connect to the Bonneville Shore-line Trail. For an enjoyable few hours or a good work-out, take a friend (or your family) and enjoy the beauty of this bit of nature in the midst of 21st Century business parks. Thanks to the City Council, City Manager Liane Stillman, Deputy City Manager Kevin Smith, the property owners along the trail, and many others who have been instrumental in developing this trail and some of its amenities (benches, trash receptacles, an awesome bridge, etc.).



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## Thanks to THE CRR COMMITTEE



The City Council thanks the Citizen Advisory Committee that recently evaluated and made recommendations on the proposed Canyons Resort Residential Ordinance (Tavaci). The committee members were selected by the Council and completed their assignment as volunteers for the City. They met at least seven times to gather information and discuss the pros and cons of a potential Canyon Resort Residential Zone on the Tavaci Development before they made their recommendation to the City Council on March 30, 2010. For more information on the committee's recommendation, visit [www.cottonwoodheights.utah.gov](http://www.cottonwoodheights.utah.gov) and click on "Hot Topics."

The committee consisted of residents from throughout the City and was chaired by Gordon Walker, who lives near the planned Tavaci development. Other committee members were Ronald Moffitt, Sue Ryser, Will McCarvill, Bill Carrigan, Kris Mateus, David Rees, Dr. Brian Homer, Carl Blanda, Lindsay Holt, Joanne Frost, Niels Valentiner, and Neal Stowe.



## Safety Message

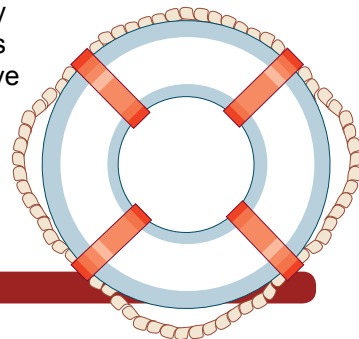
### OPEN WATER SAFETY

Nine people drown in the United States every day. Two or three of those deaths are invariably children under the age of fourteen. As spring closes in on Northern Utah, Unified Fire Authority reminds everyone to be watchful around open water and help prevent water related accidents. Adhering to the following tips will save lives:

- Always be prepared to swim. If the water looks too hazardous to swim, then don't boat or even wade in it.
- Children 6 to 11 years old most often drown while swimming or playing in or near lakes or rivers. Make sure your children know the risks, and constantly be watchful of them.
- No matter how capable your child seems, focused adult supervision is still essential. Assign specific adults to watch children near water at social gatherings.
- Ensure everyone is wearing a life vest or jacket, or personal flotation device (PFD), when on a dock; in a boat, raft, or inner tube; or around swift water like river banks.
- Teach your child about water hazards like river currents, cold water, rip tides, slippery river banks, and underwater drop-offs.
- Beware of the excesses of the "treacherous too's." Too tired. Too cold. Too far from safety. Too much strenuous activity, etc.
- If caught in a current or under-tow, do not try to swim against it. Gradually swim out of a current by swimming across it.
- Be conscious of potential hazards such as murky water, hidden objects, unexpected drop-offs, and entangling aquatic plant life. Float with your feet downstream, and keep your feet away from rocks where they can become caught.
- Always swim and boat with a buddy. Select swimming sites that have lifeguards whenever possible. Never go out in the water alone.
- Learn cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). In the time it might take for paramedics to arrive, your CPR skills could make an enormous difference in life and death situations. CPR performed by bystanders is known to save lives.

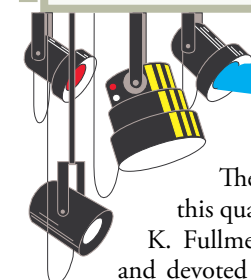


Assist Chief Mike Watson



## COMMUNITY SPOTLIGHT

### Ronald K. Fullmer



The Citizen Spotlight for this quarter shines on Ronald K. Fullmer, long time resident and devoted friend and volunteer of Cottonwood Heights. Ron was an integral part of the start-up of our City and even now he often attends council meeting, Sometimes staying even after midnight, along with most of the council and staff.

At 75 years-of-age, Ron still exhibits a passion for and vast understanding of government. in addition to copious amounts of expertise on other topics which he acquired during his working years.

Ron Fullmer is a native Utahn. He was born on Zenith Avenue, (in the area between 27th and 33rd South near Highland Drive). Not long after graduating from East High School, he ventured into military service. From there, his life is a potpourri of military, law enforcement, teaching, consulting, politics, family, government, and civic activities. A few highlights follow:

Ron married Janet Burton of Grace, Idaho, on December 30, 1960. They have three sons and a passel of grand and great grand children.

Ron served in the State Legislature in the 1980s. While there he served on Judiciary, Transportation and Public Safety Committees, in addition to Appropriations Sub-Committees.

Prior to the construction of the Intermountain Power Project in Millard County, he was contracted by the Six County Association of Governments to conduct a study on the anticipated impact of IPP on those rural counties. Most of his projections have come to pass.

He received a BS from the "U" and an MPA from the "Y." His Master's Thesis was titled "Regional Jails for Utah" and was published by the Utah Council of Criminal Justice Administration.

As a reserve Military Police Officer, Ron was selected to assist with security at the peace conference held in Geneva, Switzerland where President Eisenhower negotiated with Krushchev, Churchill, and DeGaulle, following WWII. He had some one-on-one conversation with President Eisenhower while on duty in the middle of the night.

What we now enjoy as Butlerville Days, celebrated on July 24th each year, is the direct result of Ron Fullmer's excitement about "his" new City. He suggested to the City administration that it begin having a "town days" the summer following incorporation. He recommended calling it Butlerville Days as a reminder of the community's history. As soon as he received a nod of agreement, he went to



work voluntarily to help put together the first Butlerville Days and each succeeding "...Days" since 2005.

A thorough review of Ron's life will someday make a great read for those who are drawn to personal memoirs and autobiographies.

Until Ron gets around to writing that tome, this tribute has hit a few highlights

Next time you are near Ron and have a few minutes, ask him to tell you about some of the experiences mentioned here or about the time in 1956 when he and the writer of this article attended a Church Retreat at the General Walker Hotel in Berchtesgaden, Germany.

Cottonwood Heights is fortunate to have Ron Fullmer as a participating member of the community. Thanks Ron!



## Two Bond Issues on June 22<sup>nd</sup> Ballot

Two political subdivisions of the state, whose boundaries include much or all of Cottonwood Heights, are holding special bond elections on Tuesday, June 22, 2010. The three-member Board of Trustees for the Cottonwood Heights Parks and Recreation Service Area and the nine-member Board of Education of Canyons School District, have each determined that funding is needed to meet current and future needs and that special bond elections are the best and least expensive way to borrow those funds in today's economy.

Prior to the June election, each entity is holding open meetings for residents of their respective taxing districts. At those meetings the justification for the bonds will be discussed in detail and questions regarding the respective proposals will be answered. The particulars are as follows:

### “SINK OR SWIM”...DON'T FORGET TO VOTE!

June 22, 2010, the Cottonwood Heights Parks and Recreation Service Area is holding a special election for the purpose of issuing bonds in the amount of \$4,900,000 to finance all or part of the costs of the following:

1. The repair, renovation, and improvement of existing facilities of the Service area, including roofing, aquatic facilities, heating, ventilation and air conditioning systems, and locker rooms and related improvements
2. The modification of existing facilities to provide improved accessibility for handicapped individuals
3. The installation of irrigation facilities in the parks of the Service Area
4. The authorization and issuance of the bonds

The anticipated increase in the amount of the annual property tax over what a resident or business is currently paying is \$16.00 per year on a \$327,000 residence and \$28.00 on a business property having the same value. Two public hearings are scheduled for the purpose of disseminating information and for the public to ask questions:

**WHEN:** May 6, and May 19, 2010

**TIME:** 7:00 PM

**WHERE:** Cottonwood Heights Recreation Center  
7500 S. 2700 E.

**INFO:** 801-943-3190 or  
[www.cottonwoodheights.com](http://www.cottonwoodheights.com)



### CANYON'S BOND PROPOSAL

The Canyons District Board of Education is seeking a \$250 million bond to renovate or rebuild aging schools, build a new high school in Draper, and enhance the District's efforts to better prepare students for college and careers. The proposed bond is tax-rate neutral which means that even though the amount of tax may vary, the rate will remain the same, and it will be for this bond only. Voters in Cottonwood Heights, Draper, Sandy, Midvale, Alta, and the contiguous unincorporated areas will be asked on June 22 to approve the proposed bond. Informational meetings will be held throughout May at various locations and times. These meetings will be held to discuss the projects identified as priorities by the Board of Education (This includes Butler Elementary, Butler Middle and Brighton). The list of public meetings is posted on the Canyon's web site: [www.canyonsdistrict.org](http://www.canyonsdistrict.org).

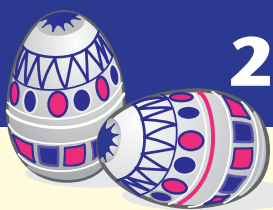
## QUICK NOTES...

*The following are notes of items that will likely be of interest to numerous readers, but there is not room for a detailed story to cover the event or happening in full, and by next month it will be even older news. So----here goes with some quick notes:*

**1. MELISSA'S MEMO'S** – Melissa Lowry's phone is 801-953-5609 and her email is [Melissa@lowrymail.com](mailto:Melissa@lowrymail.com). She has memo's for the potential volunteers of Cottonwood Heights. Butlerville Days Parade. Entries are due as soon as possible. Download an application from the City website or call Melissa. Also, RELAY-FOR-LIFE is less than two months away, June 25 and 26. Melissa Lowry is also chair of this event and invites Cancer survivors to participate in the Annual Survivors' Dinner on the evening of June 25th, at the Butler Park Pavilion. One can RSVP using Melissa's contact information listed above. MORE RELAY-FOR-LIFE. Those planning to participate in the relay should get their teams lined up and registered. This is the fourth year Cottonwood Heights has participated in this event and it will be bigger and better than ever before and will raise more money than any in the past. HELP SAVE A LIFE BY JOINING IN RELAY-FOR-LIFE!

**2. CHPD** hosted an extremely successful Medication Drop-Off event at Smith's on Bengal Blvd. on Saturday, April 24. More than 400 pounds of old and unused medications were received from residents of Cottonwood Heights. These are drugs that would otherwise have been flushed down the toilet and would eventually end up in our ponds, rivers, and streams. CHPD reports about 175 residents participated, and of six such events throughout the county on that day, Cottonwood Heights placed second to Midvale with the pounds of drugs recovered. Smith's, the U of U College of Pharmacy, and the Utah Dept. of Environmental Quality co-sponsored the event, along with CHPD. If you missed out, there is a permanent drop-off at CHPD and a second such event will be held in September.

## 2010 EASTER EGG HUNT





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on-line  
registration  
at  
[cottonwoodheights.com](http://cottonwoodheights.com)

## Outdoor Pools Opening May 28

### Special Memorial Day Weekend Pool Hours

Fri & Sat May 28, 29

12 pm - 8 pm

Sun & Mon May 30, 31

12 pm - 5 PM



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Mark the dates on your  
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**June 18**

Madagascar 2

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**July 16**

Cloudy with a  
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**August 13**

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